

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 7. This sheet, which includes Figures 7, 7A, and 7B, replaces the original sheet including Figures 7, 7A, and 7B. In Figure 7, element 701 is added.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet
Annotated Sheet Showing Changes

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

No change is made to the claims. The only changes presented in this Amendment are amendments to Figure 7 of the drawings and corresponding amendments to paragraph [0153] of the specification. Claims 2, 4-6, 8-16, and 37 remain pending in the application. Applicant respectfully requests reexamination and reconsideration of the application.

As an initial matter, this Amendment should be entered because the Amendment addresses only formal matters and clearly places the application in condition for allowance. (See MPEP § 714.12.)

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the Examiner's indication that all of the pending claims are allowable, and as discussed below, Applicants believe that the objections to the drawings have been overcome.

The drawings were objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a) as allegedly not showing features of claims 2 and 4. Specifically, as set forth in the previous Office Action, the Patent and Trademark Office alleges that the drawings do not show a plurality of sockets and an unsingulated wafer. Figure 7 of the drawings is amended to include wafer 701 depicted in dashed lines as an alternative configuration. The specification is also amended to state that the semiconductor devices 702 can be, for example, singulated dies unsingulated dies of wafer 701. The specification supports the foregoing changes to Figure 7 and the written description of Figure 7. For example, the specification describes a non-limiting example in which an unsingulated wafer 802 comprising semiconductor devices is tested. (Specification, page 26, lines 3-19.) Applicants therefore assert that the changes to the drawings and specification overcome the objections to the drawings and are fully supported by the original disclosure.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that all of the claims are allowable and the application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that a discussion with Applicant's attorney would be helpful, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (801) 323-5934.

Respectfully submitted,

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